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TITLE OF INVENTION: CABLE-ROUTING DEVICE

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Determination of Patent Term Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b)

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Type of Interview: ☐ Telephonic ☐ Video Conference ☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative) Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, provide a brief description: .						
Part I.						
Rejection(s) discussed: N/A						
Claims discussed: claim 1						
Prior art documents discussed: N/A						
Part II.						
SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENER Claim 1 is amended to add at least on of said pivoting joints and		DISCUSSED:				
Part III.						
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability. It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above. 						
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